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114th Knowledge Test Results Announcement

	1st years			2nd years			3rd
1	1498 points	Dorm 1	Gokokuji Shun	1499 points	[redacted]	[redacted]	1500 p
2	1497 points	Dorm 2	Takehashi Naoki	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
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5	1465 points	Dorm 1	Hongou Souta	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
6							
7							
8							

DID YOU DO WELL?
YES
WOW...
YOU'RE SO CALM ABOUT IT.
DO YOU PERHAPS ALWAYS GET THE TOP SCORE?
MAKES ME BEAT YOU BIT
IT'S ONLY NATURAL
YES
RIGHT, GOKO-KUJI?
AH-AH, I'M IN 5TH PLACE...
I'M 3RD.
It's because I skipped a bit of the test
CRAP
I'M 8TH
Haha...
SO, WHAT PLACE IS OTOWA IN?
I CAN'T FIND YOU ON HERE
EH?
HUH?

WITH A GRAND TOTAL OF 758 POINTS
OTOWA SUBARU 76TH PLACE,
ERM... I WONDER WHERE I AM...? IT WOULD PROBABLY BE FASTER TO START LOOKING FROM THE BOTTOM
exhausted
exhausted
Failing grades?
ARE YOU BAD AT STUDYING?
SUBA-RU-CHAN
I'M GLAD I DIDN'T GET ANY FAILING GRADES!
75 - Yamada
76 - Otowa
77 - Mobutani
RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE
SO THAT MEANS
UNTIL MIDDLE SCHOOL THE SUBJECTS I'M BAD AT ALWAYS PULLED MY GRADES DOWN TURNING MY AVERAGE GRADES TO FAILING ONES
As one would expect of Mos mansanji
Hmph, I'm 77th, it's the lucky 7s
WELL...
YEAH
Eh?

THIS IS THE HIGHEST YOUR GRADES HAVE BEEN SINCE MIDDLE SCHOOL?
IS THIS YOUR FIRST ABOVE-AVERAGE GRADE?!
Y-YEAH
THAT'S GREAT CONGRATS SUBARU!!
Gyaa It's so embarrassing! Stop it please!
NON-FAILING MARKS!!
YOU WORKED HARD
...
GOKUJI-
THEY'RE GOING TO ANNOUNCE THE DORM'S ORDER ACCORDING TO THE TOTAL SUM OF THE POINTS IN THE AUDITORIUM

SFX: NOISE
IF WE CAN AT LEAST WIN AGAINST THE 2ND DORM IN THIS ADDING THAT TO OUR POINTS FROM THE SPORTS FESTIVAL WHERE WE GOT 2ND PLACE
THIS YEAR WE HAVE A SLIM CHANCE OF COMING OUT ON TOP!
THE BEST ONES ARE DEVOTED...
WHICH DORM WILL BE THIS YEAR'S INTELLECTUAL CHAMPION?
COME ON!
Hmph!
SFX: WAAH!
3RD PLACE
Eeh?!
DORM 3!!
EH!
I'LL ANNOUNCE THE ORDER OF THE DORMS' RANKING
ACCORDING TO THE TOTAL POINTS SCORED!
YAHOO, WE BEAT THE 3RD DORM!
2ND PLACE,
DORM 2!!
AND...
NATSUKI!
SFX: CHEERS

IN 1ST PLACE, DORM 1!!
DORM 1 ARE THE WINNERS !!
YES!!
SFX CHEER'S
DO YOU KNOW JUST HOW MUCH I'VE WISHED FOR THIS MOMENT ?
WE DID IT SUBA-RU!!
I'm so deeply moved
YEAH YEAH...!
SUBA-RU?
WHAT'S THE MATTER? YOU DON'T LOOK VERY HAPPY
NO

I can't be happy with no re-straints like the others

I'm the representative of Dorm I and yet...
I'm Kondou Isami, and yet...
I'm the worst at studying amongst all the members of the Shishidou club.
IF IT'S LIKE THIS, I CAN'T SAY I'VE TRULY WON
I'm always being saved and helped along by the others.
Why couldn't I focus more on working hard?
For the whole of the second half of the exams,
all I was thinking about was Oda-san.

slap
NO, IT'S BAD TO MAKE EXCUSES!
That is that
and this is this!
...

♫♪♫♫
beep
From: Sense
To: [illegible]
How did it go afterwards? Please give me a report.
HELLO ?
SEN-SEI?
Sigh
I HEARD THAT FROM HER
THE EXAMS JUST ENDED
THERE STILL HASN'T BEEN ANY PROG-RESS

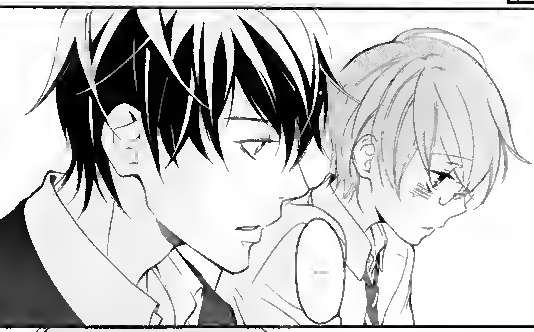
DIDN'T DORM 1 GET 1ST PLACE?
HITOMI PUT UP A GOOD FIGHT TOO.
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO TUTORED HER.
WOULDN'T IT BE FINE TO ASK HER THE RESULTS?
... ABOUT THAT
NOW'S THE CHANCE TO DISTRACT HER WITH YOUR CONFESSION
YOU UNDERSTAND THAT, RIGHT.
TAKASUGI-KUN?
...

MAKE HITOMI BECOME COMPLETELY ENGROSSED WITH YOU.
YOU CAN USE MORE FORCIBLE MEANS IF NECESSARY.
YES.

OTOWA...

I'm on cleaning duty today
SFX. DING DON
ODA-SAN..!
Y-YES..
DO YOU HAVE A MINUTE?

ABOUT MY REPLY TO WHAT YOU SAID THE OTHER DAY...
UHM,
ガチ…?
SFX: SQUEEZE



I DIDN'T TELL YOU THAT I LIKE YOU BECAUSE I WANTED A REPLY.
OTOWA,

BUT YOU THOUGHT ABOUT IT SERIOUSLY, RIGHT?
ABOUT ME?
...
SFX BLUSH

OTOWA...
...
SFX RUSTLE
SFX BA-THUMP 2X

?!
SFX FULLS AWAY
OH MY, I'M SORRY
Tsubaki-yama-senpai...!
DID I INTERRUPT YOU?
This is bad..
So, so bad!
stands
NO
I'LL SEE YOU LATER.

TURN
OH, OH HE LEFT
HE'S A HANDSOME GUY
SFX SHUDDER

YOU'RE BLUSHING SO MUCH
WHAT AM I TO DO WITH YOU?
DO YOU LIKE
ODA?

WHEN I WAS TELLING YOU TO BE CAREFUL MAYBE I SAID TOO MUCH—?
...I'M SORRY.
EVEN I MYSELF—
...DON'T REALLY KNOW.
THAT'S MY LINE
There, there
WE'RE THE ONES WHO HAVE TO PROTECT YOU, SUBARU-CHAN.
SO I'M SORRY.
HUH?

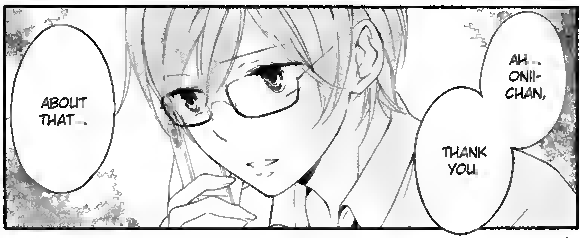
THE OTHER DAY, WHEN WE WERE IN THE SHOWER ROOM WITHOUT YOU,
ALL OF US IN THE SHINSEN-GUMI MADE A NAKED VOW.
THE N- ALL LIKE IT?
THE SHISHIDOU CLUB'S BOND IS ETERNAL!
YEAH!
A NAKED VOW?
That's right.
THAT WHATEVER HAPPENS WE'D PROTECT SUBARU-CHAN
All of those naked men together that was a dangerous situation.
SO SOMETHING LIKE THAT HAPPENED
YUP.
I CAN LIKE BASICALLY ANYONE,
BUT YOU'LL ONLY LOVE ONE, AND I THINK THAT'S SPLENDID
I WANT TO SUPPORT YOUR SERIOUS LOVE

SO WILL YOU TELL ME YOUR REAL FEELINGS, SUBARU-CHAN?
MY REAL ...?
SAY, HAVE YOU EVER HEARD OF THE SUSPENSION BRIDGE EFFECT?
THE SUSPENSION BRIDGE EFFECT?
YEAH. LIKE BEING EXCITED DURING A DANGEROUS SITUATION...
OR BEING UNDER THE ILLUSION OF LIKING ANOTHER PERSON WHO IS SUPPOSED TO BE YOUR ENEMY...
EARLIER, YOU SAID THAT YOU DON'T KNOW WHETHER YOU LIKE HIM OR NOT, RIGHT?
YOU TRANSFERRING INTO AN ALL BOYS' SCHOOL IS ALREADY QUITE A UNIQUE SITUATION.
ADD TO THAT THE MENTAL STRAIN YOU'VE BEEN UNDER LATELY, AND IT'S EASY TO SEE WHY YOU MIGHT MISUNDERSTAND WHAT YOU FEEL FOR OTA, WHO HELPED YOU, AS LOVE.

Well, see you later!
I THINK YOU NEED TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER YOU REALLY LIKE HIM OR NOT
Whether I really like Oda-san
or not...?

HELLO?
Onii-chan
Answer
Cancel
PPP
HMM?
OH, IT'S ONII-CHAN
AAH HITOMI DO YOU HAVE TIME NOW TO TALK?
YEAH, THAT'S FINE

YOU MENTIONED DURING YOUR EXAM PERIOD THAT YOU NEEDED TO CONSULT WITH ME ABOUT SOMETHING, RIGHT?
I WAS THINKING THAT I'D LIKE TO HEAR ABOUT THAT IN MORE DETAIL


AH... ONII-CHAN,
THANK YOU.
ABOUT THAT...

I THOUGHT I SHOULD BE A BIT MORE COMPOSED BEFORE GIVING MY FINAL ANSWER
NOPE
A DEVELOPMENT? SO ARE YOU DATING HIM NOW?
THERE WAS A BIT OF A DEVELOPMENT TODAY
AFTER TALKING TO HIM, I REALIZED SOMETHING
I THOUGHT ABOUT CONSULTING YOU AT FIRST ONII-CHAN BUT
A SENPAI FROM THE SAME DORM AS ME TALKED WITH ME INSTEAD
I SEE
I MIGHT BE MISUNDERSTANDING MY FEELINGS AND MISTAKING THEM FOR FEELINGS OF LOVE
PERHAPS THE REASON WHY MY HEART IS THROBBING IS JUST BECAUSE OF THE ENVIRONMENT I'M IN WHICH I HAVE YET TO GROW ACCUSTOMED TO

beep
Hitomi
I'LL CALL YOU AGAIN
YEAH
I'M GLAD YOU'VE REGAINED YOUR COMPOSURE
YEAH
THANKS FOR ALL OF YOUR HELP, ONII-CHAN.
...
P P P...
P P P
P P P...

I WAS JUST THINKING ABOUT CALLING YOU MYSELF
Sensei
Answer
P P P
P P P
P P
...SENSEI
I SEE I'LL STATE MY BUSINESS FIRST. THEN
I DON'T MIND IF YOU TEMPORARILY CROSS THE LINE
WON'T YOU JUST SERIOUSLY GO AFTER HITOMI?

YOU'LL OBEY MY COMMAND, RIGHT?
THIS'S YOUR YOUNGER SISTER WE'RE TALKING ABOUT. GOING THAT FAR...
SHOJIN-SENSEI,
BUT I FELL FOR HER FOR REAL...!

I...
I'VE TOLD YOU ALL THE DETAILS UP UNTIL NOW AND OBEYED YOU, BUT NOW I WANT HER TO CHOSE ME BY HERSELF
I WANT TO TREASURE HER FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART NOW.
...SO THEN, WHAT WILL YOU DO?
I WILL DEFINITELY GET RID OF EVERYTHING THAT STANDS IN THE WAY OF ME ACHIEVING MY OWN IDEALS RIGHT?
I WANT TO RETURN JAPAN TO HOW IT SHOULD BE.
TAKASUGI-KUN... YOU DO UNDER-STAND THAT, THIS TIME,

I UNDER-STAND.
BUT...
NO I UNDER-STAND YOUR FEELINGS VERY WELL
THEN...
I WON'T ASK ANY MORE FROM YOU
bzzz
bzzz
beep